Age of Exploration

Name: .

**Mapping Activity**

**On one World Map:**

Please find the following continents and oceans on the attached map. Label with blue or black pen and color each continent a DIFFERENT color.

North America

South America

Europe

Africa

Asia

Australia

Antarctica

Atlantic Ocean

Pacific Ocean

Indian Ocean

Arctic Ocean

Caribbean Sea

**On the Other World Map :**

* Label each of the following 6 countries in blue or black pen and color with a DIFFERENT color (use light colors so you can see your labels).
* Find the routes of 10 explorers (at least one from each country) and put them on your world map. Trace each route in a different color and make a key for your map.

Spain – Christopher Columbus (Italian but sailed for Spain), Francisco Vasquez de Coronado, Hernan Cortes, Hernando de Soto, Francisco Pizarro, Juan Ponce de Leon

France – Samuel de Champlain, Robert de la Salle, Jacques Cartier, Giovanni da Verrazano (Italian but sailed for France)

Portugal – Ferdinand Magellan, Amerigo Vespucci (Italian but sailed for Portugal)

England (United Kingdom) – Francis Drake, John Cabot (Italian sailing for England), Martin Frobisher, Walter Raleigh

The Netherlands – Henry Hudson (English but sailing for the Dutch)

Iceland (this was populated by the Norse people who had spread from Scandinavia) – Leif Eriksson

